# TOWN OF FREDERICK, COLORADO ORDINANCE NO. 949

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF FREDERICK, COLORADO, AMENDING CHAPTER 4, ARTICLE VIII, FREDERICK HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM, OF THE FREDERICK MUNICIPAL CODE.

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Town of Frederick finds it necessary to amend the Town of Frederick Municipal Code, to improve and expedite the procedure for granting scholarships, to clarify procedure and regulations for the Town of Frederick High School Scholarship program, and to clarify certain definitions.

# BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF FREDERICK, COLORADO, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Chapter 4, Article VIII, Town of Frederick High School Scholarship Program, of the Frederick Municipal Code is hereby deleted in its entirety and reenacted to read as follows:

# "Sec. 4-161. Authority.

The Board of Trustees of the Town of Frederick hereby establishes a scholarship program for graduates of a Frederick high school. The Board of Trustees shall award one (1) scholarship to a graduating male and one (1) scholarship to a graduating female. Each scholarship shall be payable at one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) per year for four (4) years providing that the recipient maintains his or her eligibility.

## Sec. 4-162. Scholarship Commission

A scholarship commission is established to act in an advisory capacity to the Board of Trustees and make recommendations in accordance with the provisions of this Article. The Scholarship Commission shall consist of the Mayor, the principals of any high school within the town, the Town Administrator, one (1) local business or community leader, and one (1) citizen of the Town of Frederick. The membership of the Commission shall be designated by the Mayor and approved by the Board of Trustees.

#### Sec. 4-163. Terms of Office

- (a) The Mayor, Town Administrator, and principals shall serve terms corresponding to their terms in office and in their positions.
- (b) The resident members of the Commission shall serve terms of four (4) years.

#### Sec. 4-164. Rules of Order and Business

The Scholarship Commission shall adopt rules and regulations governing the conduct of its meetings. A majority of its membership shall be required to conduct official business. All members have equal voting privileges on all questions. All members shall comply with the provisions regarding ethics and conflicts of interest contained in Article IV of this Chapter.

### Sec. 4-165. Qualifications.

To be eligible for consideration, the candidate must meet the following requirements:

- (1) Must be a graduating senior from a Frederick high school.
- (2) Must be a resident of the Town of Frederick.
- (3) Must have a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 and must have taken a college preparatory curriculum.
- (4) Must have excelled in extra-curricular activities such as drama, music, art, student government, athletics, science clubs, etc.

### Sec. 4-166. Restrictions.

- (a) The student must attend an accredited college or university and have a plan to pursue a bachelor degree. Attending a junior college for the first two years is acceptable.
- (b) To remain eligible for funding, the student must achieve at lease a 3.25 grade point average for each year.

The Scholarship Commission will review all continuing students (students awarded the scholarship in previous years) for compliance with grade point average requirements and recommend to the Board of Trustees continuation or termination of the scholarship.

# Sec. 4-167. Application and selection.

- (a) Application for the scholarship is to be made on the form supplied by the Town of Frederick.
- (b) Selection will be based on recommendations by staff and teachers and review of the scholarship application by the Scholarship Commission.
- (c) The Scholarship Commission will make a recommendation of one male and one female recipient each year, to the Board of Trustees.

# Sec. 4-168. Payment of funds.

Payment of the scholarship will be made directly to the school, college or university annually.

Sec. 4-169. Source of funds.

The scholarship program shall be funded from interest earned annually from the Oil Royalty Trust Fund.

Secs. 4-170—4-180. Reserved."

**Section 2. Effective Date.** This ordinance shall be published and become effective as provided by law.

Section 3. Severability. If any part, section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the validity of the remaining sections of the ordinance. The Town Board hereby declares that it would have passed the ordinance including each part, section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that one or more parts, sections, subsections, sentence, clauses or phrases are declared invalid.

Section 4. Repealer. All ordinances or resolutions and motions of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Frederick or parts thereof, in conflict with this ordinance are to the extent of such conflict hereby superseded and repealed, provided that such repealer shall not repeal the repealer clauses of such ordinance, resolution or motion, nor revive any ordinance, resolution or motion thereby.

By

INTRODUCED, READ, PASSED, ADOPTED AND ORDERED PUBLISHED THIS 28<sup>th</sup> DAY OF FEBRUARY 2008.

ATTEST:

TOWN OF FREDERICK

Nanette S. Fornof, Town Cl

Eric E. Doering, Mayor